













DIDN'T
YOU
ALMOST
GET
PERFECTOP



YEAH,
HE'S
LOOKING

DAIGO'S
TOO SICK,
RIGHT?



FOR THE
CHAMPION,
DAIGO
UMEHARA!
CONGRATU-
LATIONS!

PLEASE
GIVE A BIG
ROUND OF
APPLAUSE!

CLAP!
CLAP!



HE'S NOT
THAT
BIG A
DEAL...



ONCE I TAKE
THIS GAME
SERIOUSLY,
I'LL BE THE
ABSOLUTE
STRONGEST!







HEW



WELL,
LET'S
BEGIN

EH?
SHUPEED
ALREADY?

HEY,
START US
OFF BY
SINGING
SHUPEED



新館
スポーツクラブ





...AH,
THAT'S
TRUE.



YEAR.

YOU USED
TO PLAY
MORRISAN
IN VAMPIRE
HUNTER,
RIGHT?



SHE HAS
STRONG AIR
MOBILITY,
BUT IT'S
HARD TO
OPEN
SOMEBODY
UP BECAUSE
SHE'S
LACKING IN
MIXUP
VARIATION.

...ABOUT
LILITH,

Mixup:
Forcing an
opponent to
defend in ways
that are not
correct-looking
such as with
overhands,
command
grabs, etc. Re-
sulted, to "force
somebody up
is to lead a bit
on somebody
who is blocking
your offense. If
you are unable
to do this, it
can be quite
difficult to do
any major
damage to your
opponent.



IF YOU WANT
TO BEAT
DAIGO,
WOULDN'T
USING
MORRISAN
BE BETTER?

MORRISAN SHOULD
HAVE AN EASIER TIME
OPENING PEOPLE UP
BECAUSE HER DASH
ATTACKS ARE OVER-
HEADS, AND IF SHE
GETS NEAR YOU, SHE
HAS A COMMAND
GRAB.

IN THAT CASE,
I THINK YOU
ALREADY
UNDERSTAND
BUT...



THAT GUY'S
DEFENSE...

...WITH
LILITH
LACKING
MIXUPS!
THERE'S
NO WAY I'D
WIN.



AH...





WOAH!
WHAT
THE
HELL,
MAN?



YOU
DUMB
YET?



SORRY,
GUYS!

I CAN'T
HELP IT IF
I KEEP
WINNING!



MAN, YOU
GOTTA
STOP
BULLYING
THESE
POOR
GUYS!



EH?

HEY, WHAT'S
THE NEXT VS&V
TOURNAMENT
THAT
DAIGO
WILL PROBABLY
ENTER?



PROBABLY
THAT ONE?

THERE'S A
TOURNAMENT
AT THE
FLAMINGO
ARCADE IN
SHINJUKU,



IS
THERE
ONE?



Flamingo
Arcade at
Shinjuku
West
Entrance:
Vampire
Savior
Tournament



NEXT UP IS
DAIGO AND
YOSHIMURA,
PLAY YOUR
MATCH.







Guard Cancel:
This is a technique in Vampire
Gears where while guarding,
inputting a
specific
command will
cancel the guard
animation into a
counter attack.
GC for short.
High level players
will even make a
reset and GC on
opponent's first
attack.



GUARD CANCEL







AND THE
WINNER
OF THE
SEMIFINALS
MATCH IS
DAIGO!



WOAH,
DID THAT
JUST
HAPPEN!?

HAHA
HAHA
HAHA
HAHA
HAHA!



UMEHARA FIGHTING GAMERS!

Supervise by DAIGO UMEHARA

Art by KENGORO NISHIDE Story by ITARU ORIKASA



Brought to you by:

SO WHAT ARE WE PLAYING NOW THAT EVO'S OVER?



@Ral_0ne

"FOR ME, I'M PLAYING UNIEL BECAUSE ITS MY FAVORITE GAME ATM AND I'M TRYING TO GET READY FOR UNIST. FOR BB, IZAYOI OO COMBOS ARE OO LOL"



@jasepi_iidx

"I'M STICKING WITH ULTRA AND UNIEL, AND I DECIDED TO TAKE XRD MUCH MORE SERIOUSLY AS I AM HAVING FUN WITH THAT GAME"



@TheBonkler

"I'M IN BOSTON FOR THIS SUMMER, SO I'VE BEEN FOCUSING ON USF4 SINCE THAT'S WHAT MOST OF THE LOCAL FGC PLAYS. SHOUTOUTS TO GAME UNDERGROUND!"

Translation/FGC Notes:

p.42 - "Fatiga"

Short for "Nero Fatiga", an anti-air special move Jedah has. There's a glitch you can do with it where Jedah slides off-screen, resulting in the rest of the match being unplayable. Cheap.

p.48 - "Vampire Hunter"

Also known as "Nightwarriors: Darkstalkers' Revenge" in the West. In the prequel to this manga which follows Daigo's middle school years, you get to see him play this game (as well as NTR that dude's girl, I'm assuming).

p.47 - "SHUPEED"

Refers to SPEED, a popular girl band during the late 90s. They disbanded and made a reunion in 2008. The song they're singing here is a reference to the song "Go! Go! Heaven", definitely go watch it on YouTube and imagine Nuki singing it.

p.52 - "VSav"

Short for "Vampire Savior", it's the shortened term Western players use. In the manga, they actually use "Savior" as short-hand for the game.



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